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Hongkong, 4th June, 1892. IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

BUMMARY JURISDICTION. BUIT No. 527 or 1892. FOREIGN ATTACHMENT.

PLAINTIPPS-THE HONGKONG TRAD ING COMPANY, LIMITED. DEPENDANT-EMILE AERTS.

NOTICE is bereby given, That a WRIT of FOREIGN ATTACHMENT returnable on the 14th day of JUNE, 1892, against all the Property moveable or immoveable of the above-named Defendant within the Colony has been issued in this Suit pursuant to the Provisions of Section LXXXII. of "The Hongkong Code of Civil Procedure." Dated the Soth day of May, 1892.

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Hongkong, 4th June, 1892. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW.

HE Company's Steamship "NAMOA," Captain Reach, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-DAY, the 4th inst, at 4 P.M.

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NOTIOF. AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MESTING of the MEMBERS of the CLUB will be held in the CLUB House, on FRIDAY, the 10th Jone, 18:2, at 4,30 P.M. the Hall of the Clab.

By Order,

HONGKONG CLUB.

C. H. GRACE. Secretary. Hongkong, 3rd June, 1892. THE HONGKONG SCECTRIC COM-

PANY, LIMITED.

OPDING BY WIND THAT THE THIRD ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLD ERS in the above Company will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICE, No. 6 TOR-HOUSE LANE, on SATURDAY, the 11th JUNE, at Noon, for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to Sith April, 1892, and electing Directors and Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the COMPANY will be CLOSED from the 28th MAY to 11th JUNE, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors. CHAS. F. HARTON. Acting Becretary. Hongkong, 28th May, 1892. NOTICE.

PUNJOM AND SUNGHIE DUA SAMAN. 25a) TAN MINING COMPANY, LIMITED. LL PERSONS holding SURIP in the

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Hongkong, 25th May, 1892. THE JELEBU MINING AND TRAD-

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At the General Meeting of "The Imuris Mines, Limited," held on the 11th April, 1892, the following Extraordinary Resolution was passed by the proper majority :-That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this Meeting that the Company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and accord-

ingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily And at the same Meeting, and at another Meeting of the same Company held on 26th April, 1892, the following Special Resolution VIOLINS. was duly passed and confirmed respectively :--(a.)—That EDWARD VAUGHAN JORDAN. of Bichmond Vills, Goldhawk Road, Shepherd's Bush, Accountant, be, and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of winding up this Company.

b. -That the Liquidator be, and he is hereby

authorised to consent to the registration of a new Company to be named "THE NEW IMURIS MINES, Limited," with a Memorandum and Articles of Association which have already been prepared with the approval of the Directors of this Company. -That the draft Agreement submitted to this Meeting and expressed to be made between this Company of the first part, the Liquidator of the second part, and "THE NEW INUERS MINES, Limited " of the third part, be, and the same is bareby approved, and that the Liquidator be and he is hereby authorized, pursuant to Section 161 of the Companies Act, 1802, to enter into an Agreement with such new Company when incorporated in the terms of the raid draft and to carry the same into effect

with such (if any) modifications as he may think expedient. In conformity with the above Special Resolution, and the Agreement to which it refers. beg to inform you that "THE NEW IMORES MINES, Limited," has been incorporated under the Companies Act, 1862 to 1890, with a capital of £200,000 in 20,000 shares of £1 sach, and that the Agreement referred to in the same Resolution has been executed. Your holding in " THE IMURIS MINES, Limited " being fully paid abares, you are under the Agreement entitled to, and I hereby offer you, an allot ment of the same number of shares £1, with 15s. New Exchange Book 2/6 to 3s.

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gether with a remittance of EDWARD VAUGHAN JORDAN. Liquidator of "The Imuris Mines, Limited." FORME of APPLICATION can be obtain- | FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, TO-DAY. Apply to G. O. ANDERSON, of Mesers, ed at the office of the Company, No. 6, Ice | the 4th instant, at 8,30 for 9 P.M. precisely. HOUSE STREET, Hongkong.

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31st May, 1892.

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HONGKONG, JUNE 4TH, 1892.

the Colonies may take of the reasons given

by the Hongkong Chamber of Commerce for

their opposition to the proposed registration

of imports and exports, we hope he will not fail to perceive that that body is very much in earnest. That such registration is in it. Altraough the amount of opium imported strong evidence of their having been concerned benefit of the sufferers, they had only been acting whatever should be raised to so simple a proposal, self a very desirable thing, and that reliable into China in 1891 shows an increase of in the late piratical attack upon the Customs in accordance with the wishes of the abareholders. trade statistics would be both useful and in- 829 piculs over the import of the preceding depredation upon the three trading junks near teresting we have always held, and few per. year, it compares unfavourably with that of Macao." sons will deny; but, as the Chamber point 1888, being 5,197 piculs less. The value of out, such an advantage might be too dearly the trade, owing to constantly declining try will play the following programme on the the summer. His departure from Sofia has and of the unique position which Hongkong or purchased, and unquestionably would be if prices, shows a shrinkage every year, that Barrack Square this evening, commencing at caused great regrets, as the following tribute ouples as a trading and distributing centre, will the freedom of the port were in any way jeo- for 1891 being Tls. 628,178 on the value of 7.30:-

trade happened to be specially lucrative, for the consumption of the labouring popul. An instalment of the novelette The Luck set

Lions, Ladies. Children, and Infants, and for regular reasons clearer to Lord Knurssono. He can large, it will perhaps not be out of the way age of 85, of Mr. Dadabhai Burjorji. He was noted Shippers, are imported in wood and bottled transactions, is perhaps the most onerons British Consul at Wenchow says that of writes:—Potted elephant has lately been much on the alert to prevent the Government suc- vinces only. cumbing to such temptations, and if necesespecially is this duty made obvious at seriously from depression in trade and sub, however, shows that owing to a pecu-

existing depression.

on the Kwangtung coast is afforded in the peculiar moistness of Kansuh opium, which issue. The writer states that it has been the custom for the pirates at the mouth of i consideration of the payment whereof they are nominally estimated at. Apart from this few engineering difficulties to surmount, the this for the pintes very satisfactory arrange. ment one of the junks seems to have rebelled. and to have offered a much smaller sum, namely two dollars for the spring season This was too much for the bold buccaneers. there is no regular trade in the drug with Their ire was fairly roused, and they evidently deemed, the occasion one for a master stroke which should not only carry sport it secretly, avoiding the duty stations. terror into the hearts of junkmasters but It is said that nine-tenths of it thus escapes which by its originality should create a sensation. Hence the seizure of the official launch order to equalise matters, it has been the and subsequent piracy of the three junks un. practice while still charging Tis. 50 lekin to der the convenient disguise of His Imperial allow three pounds to pass as one pounds Majesty's guardians of the revenue. But the and this concession has, the memorialist tells salient fact, the one that stands out in re- us, had a good effect, the lekin receipts havlief, in this case, is, to our mind, the disclo- ing increased considerably. As the drug is plated. The survey will be finished by about sure that piracy; that old time pest of these poor in quality, and far inferior not only seas, still exists in its pristine audacity to foreign opium but also to that produced almost in our midst. The pirates are less in the neighbouring provinces, the lekin au. given to sanguinary deeds, and have ap. thorities propose in future to do away with parently become more careful of their own the fanciful system of rating three pounds as heads, but they have evidently lost none of their ingenuity, which seems indeed to have ling to the real weight. This suggestion is been sharpened by danger and necessity. naturally approved. The memorial is inter-There is something contemptible about these modern pirates. Unlike their progenitors upon the production of opium in the far who were wont to spare neither age nor sex. north-west of China, and the taxation levied who calmly butchered a whole orew for the upon it. Probably the Kansuh opium is the sake of the cargo, who, would fight like poorest of any produced in China, while that very demons when cornered, and who daily of the adjoining province of Szechuen is the carried their lives in their hands, these latter best, some of it being little if at all inferior day pirates are no true rovers of the seas on the contrary, they seem by preference to lie low in some safe lair ashore from whence they arrange a common squeeze, worthy only of the most ignoble mandarin. How are the mighty fallen! The swaggering corsair, who half a century ago was the terror of the seas, has become the unromantic paltry blackmailer! Worse in degree, but scarcely more imposing than the head of the beggar guild, who levies his blackmail in identical manner. Unlike the Beggar Guild. however, the Pirate Guild-no doubt there at Woosung at 8 s.m. on the 30th ult. She is is some such body-will not secure official tolerance. The new method adopted in the case of the seizure of the three junks near Macao the other day is not calculated propitiate the Authorities. They will resent this masquerading in official uniform, this attempt to bring disgrace upon the preventive service. So there is some chance a these hungry blackmailers being broken up entirely. Action should not stop with the capture of these offenders. Efforts should be made to uproot the whole system, and to free the peaceful trader from the onerous yoke of these dexterous but wholly unprincipled cial member of the Legislative Council of the rascals. It is simply monstrous that, in addition to the burden of numerous and often vexatious restrictions and squeezes WHATEVER view the Secretary of State for Chinese junks should still, in this year of

pardised thereby. The trade of Hongkong the trade for 1890, and this too in spite of Valse has been slowly built up almost entirely on ac. the small increase in quantity of the import Schottische count of the freedom from restriction secured to recorded above. These illustrations serve to traders, and any attempt to tamper with that indicate the course of the foreign opium privilege could only result in the shrinkage trade: while not very seriously losing of the native trade. That trade is very sen- ground, it is gradually approaching the sitive; it curls up, so to speak, at a touch. period when it will cease to be very remuner-Many traders resort hither, who have been ative. The anti-opium agitators may take driven from Canton or Macao by the imposts comfort. The Chinese know quite well how

der that the latter may live at home in ease

on their ill-gotten gains.

But confidence, that plant which is so ear ation and fluds a ready sale for all his Gul in Yorkshire appears on the sixth page. sential to the expansion of trade, wald produce. It seems that the crop of opium bave been eliminated, the flower would in the six provinces of Kansub, Shantung, o'clock the steam launch Dayspring, carrying cease to blossom; and the trade would Stansi, Shensi, Honon, and Chibli last year the Bethef flag, will call alongside any vessel conduction dwindle. A trade doubt the shore ashere some extent, Hongkong will always be, no entire import from abroad was only 77,445 Church, returning about 12.30. doubt, but under certain circumstances it piculs. Of this amount Honan produced would quickly lose much of its importance. 10,000 picule, of which Tientsin consumed The Chamber of Commerce are right, and 2,000 picule and Peking 1,800 picule. Con- (White Monday) except from 8 to 9 a.m. Corwe hope that the Secretary of State will sidering that most of the other twelve pro- for the Peak and Kowloon may be posted up to 9 carefully and favourably consider the vinces produce opium in greater or less am. The night box will be kept open. The statement of reasons drawn up in their quant. v, that Szechuen alone raises from money order office will be entirely closed. letter. His Excellency Sir William Ro. 100,000 to 150,000 picule, and that the yield ninson may, if he so chooses, make these of it in the provinces of Manchuria is very with regret of the death on the 28th May, at the help his lordship to penetrate within the to estimate the total production in China for years the oldest foreign resident there, having been over 45 veil; to see, as he no doubt sees, how neces- at three times that of foreign import. It is years in Shanghai, without over going away sary it is to leave trade in Hongkong un unly necessary to bear this fact in mind to even as far as Woosung. He was more than hampered and untaxed. As a matter of see how fruitless in its effect upon the opium he was one of the most courteons and kindfact there have already grown up too many smoking habit in this vast empire would be hearted of men, and always popular until old taxes which are more or less drags on the prohibition of its export from India. See and sickness obliged him to seclade himself. the wheels of commerce. Of these the The area of production is annually in-Stamp Act, with the burdens on commercial creasing in most provinces of China. The

and certainly the most unfair in its in- late years no proclamations have been issued recommended as an addition to our food supplies. cidence. The levy of an extra tax on against the cultivation of the poppy, as was trial purposet. Attention is drawn to the tonnage to pay for the cost of the formerly the case, and no restriction is now among others is a monster from called "the Gup Rock Lighthouse was voluntary, but imposed in that city on the opening of opium field hen, and whose firsh is very much esteem. the unofficial members must see to it divans. The same remarks would apply to ed. When carefully potted, it bears transport that the pledge made by the Government is many other provinces and cities, where proredeemed and the dues reduced when that hibition has long been a dead letter. Chi- on their hands, can search the bound bouchs on outlay has been provided for. There is a nese farmers find it more profitable to grow the spot. The cost of a fourth-class passage to tendency even on the part of the best and the poppy than to raise wheat, barley or most conscientious administrations to adhere beans, but it does not materially affect rice tenaciously to any new source of revenue, and cultivation, as the paddy can be transplanted | writes to suggest the formation of three battaliwhen possible to multiply sources of revenue. after the opium crop has been gathered, one of infantry in Australia for service in India. The plain duty of the community here is to be This applies of course to the southern pro-The selling price of native opium is usual sary to combat any attempt to impose new ly less than half the cost of the Indian drug, taxes on trade or its adjuncts. More which has to bear about double the duty leads us to think that there is a strong military imposed on the home-grown article. A retime when the Colony is suffering so cent memorial from the Governor of Kanthe effects of a period of reckless speculation. liarity in the opium of that province, namely Some recent legislation has beyond doubt a shrinkage in weight, the Kansuh drug all the subalterus should be Australian gentlehad a detrimental effect on the Colony's really has little advantage over its foreign trade, and any further restrictive legislation rival. The duty levied is Tls. 50 for raw

would inevitably tend to accentuate, the and Tls. 60 for propared opium. But, the that Australia is, or will be, as much interested memorialist says, though the duty was enforced with all possible strictness the receipts durious proof of the existence of a proved very small. He goes on to say that regular system of organisation among pirates the reason for this is to be found in the notes from Canton published in vesterday's diminishes so by drying that by the time i reaches a distant consumer it only weighs about a third of what it did when it was the Canton river to levy a toll of 860 an. originally bought and paid duty. The mually on the junks trading on the route in charges on it thus are troble what they were allowed to sail unmolested. Against there is freight to be paid; and if it is carried estimated cost per mile being only about through three or four provinces, the total of the lekins and duties will be something the Malay Railways and Work Company, Limit ports and exports in this colony, I have now like Tis. 100, so that it has very little advantage over foreign opium. Consequently other provinces. What little business there is, is carried on by petty traders, who trantaxation. For some time past, however, in one and to charge a duty of Tls. 16.6 accord-

> to the Indian drug. The delivery of the English mail was begun at 4 p.m. vesterday. Holy Communion will be celebrated in the Peak Church to-morrow (Sunday) at 8 a.m.

Suanghai on the 29th ult. from Hongkong. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Diomed left Singapore on the morning of the 2nd inst. for this free to go where they pleased. I may add that of the imports and exports of the colony.

The Mutual steamer Moyune from Hankow, full up and had to refuse upwards of 1,000 tons

which left hence 10th May and from Yokohams 18th May, arrived at San Francisco on the 1st June, making the run from Yokohama it The Daily News says that the parties interest

ed in the Peking-Fushun collision case have agreed to refer the matter to the arbitration of Mr. J. Hannen. We have not yet heard who his

The Reuter's message in the Singapore papers relative to the Queen's Birthday honours states at the Hon. T. Shelford, of Singapore, unofil-Straits Settlements, has been made a C.M.G.

Messra Dodwell, Carlill & Co. are in receip of a telegram stating that the steamer Camelot. from Glasgow and Liverpool for China and Japan.

To morrow morning, between 9 and 10.30 ing. had been recalled. Equally unfounded, it absence of restrictions in all matters connected

gradually dwindle. A trade depôt to alone amounted to 60,000 pionis, while the to 11 a.m. service at St. Peter's (Seamon's). We are asked to call attention to the fact that the Post Office will be closed on Monday next

He was buried in the Zoronstrian Cometery.

as well as salmon or lobster. It is eaten with

A correspondent of the St. James's Gazette He thinks that the more populous colonies could easily furnish the men for them. He says :-" The officering and recruiting of these battalions would, it is believed, be easy Australia has its labour question and its nuemployed, even as those at home: The conditions of service, rates | four days, and finally fled. of pay, otc., should be precisely the same in the Australian as in the British infantry battalions. The senior officers would at the first have to be men; and after a few years, there would be no more efficient and genuinely territorial regiments than those furnished by Australia." Seeing in the Asiatic dependencies as the old country,

Mr. C. Dunlop, the concessionairs of the Singors-Kadah Railway, arrived in Bangkok on the 18th May, says the local Times, by the steamer Singapore. He is in excellent health, and full of enthusiasm as to the success of the enterprise. There are now four surveyors at work road from Singers to Kedah, (or Kotah Star) of Commerce :-which was cleared and constructed when H M. the King made his first journey across the Peninsula, nearly twenty years ago. There are vey will not exceed \$30,000. Mr. Alexander, of ed, is in charge. Mr. Dunlop has also business sion of a small area at Perlis, where coal has been assistance in the railway enterprise, besides opening a new trade resource for Penang and Singora. There is already an important trade coastwise from Singers, tin, cardamoms, hides, cattle, dried prawns, etc., but the trans-Poninsular trade has hitherto been much restricted owing to the closing of the roads during the rainy season. This, of course, the railway will overcome. The mere prospect of its construction has already given trade an impetus, a European having taken up a thousand seres of land in Kedah for sugarplanting. A small branch-line from Kulim to Belama, to top the tin-producing area, is contem-October, probably, soon after which the formation of the Bailway Company will commence.

don and China Express of the 6th ult.:— On the 2nd inst. £12,000 in sovereigns were esting, however, as throwing some light silver for Hiogo. Large supplies of gold are colony. shortly expected from the East. The Valette 295,200 in gold coin from Yokohama, £176,300 in gold from Shanghai, and £59,080 in gold from

In the House of Commons on the 5th May. in answer to Mr. S. Smith, Baron H. de Worms said: The Secretary of State is aware that u large number of Chinese immigrants come to Singapore, and that some, but only a small proportion of them, go on from Singapore to Javaand Sumatra and other places, under contracts of service by which they are bound to repay out of their earnings the cost of their passage. The returns for last year have not been received, The Italian cruisor Curtaions arrived at but it appears from the returns for 1890 that knowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th the whole number of Chinese who arrived at instant forwarding a resolution of the Chamber in this port. Singapore was 127,936, of whom about 117,000 of Commerce at a meeting held on the 8th paid their own passages, and on landing were instant on the subject of the taking of returns in the same year 80,000 Chineso returned from I am in reply to ask whether your Chamber the Straits Settlements to China via Hongkong. will submit a statement of the reasons on which is expecting to receive the Governor's recommendations on the best means of preventing abuses which may arise from the system of contract emigration from China to and through

The P. M. steamer City of Rio de Janeiro, Singapore, At the annual meeting of the Great Northern Telegraph Company, held at Copenhagen on the 30th altime, the Chairman (Mr. C. F. Tistgen) in moving the adoption of the report and so counts, referred to the situation in China and Japan. He said that the anti-foreign riots, which had agitated the Chinese Empire during part of the year, had not interfered with the company's business in any way. In one of the interior provinces, however, the animosity rioters against the telegraph had venter itself in the destruction of thousands tolegraph poles. belonging to the Chinese Administration, and intended for the con struction of an internal line. This occur rence was an additional proof of how indispensable submarine cables were in China, and how little toresight was displayed by those who has been in collision, and is now being repaired spitated in favour of land lines to the detriment grace 1892, have to subsidize pirates in or- in Singapore, and is expected to leave that port of the submarine connections. In Japan, the calamity brought about by the terrible earth quakes bad awakened the sympathy of all, and We read in the Macaense of the 2nd instant the b ard of directors felt sure that in assisting nat the Macao Police have captured three the relief committee in various ways, besides subcriminals in connection with whom there is scribing, on behalf of the company, \$2,000 for the

Mr. N. R. O'Conor, C.B., C.M.G., the newly is carried out in almost every port of the British appointed British Minister to China, has left possessions. Eastern Europe for England. Mr. C'Conor My Committee, however, is of opinion that a The Band of the 1st Shropshire Light Infan- will not leave for the Far East until the end of closer examination of the business carried on here, from the Bulgarian correspondent of The Times show that really good reasons exist for asking Wheeler. shows:- "M. Stambuloff and the members of the | the Government to refrein from passing such an Cabinet, the whole Diplomatic Corps, and almost | Ordinance. all the more prominent persons at Sofis, includ. The most important objection is one which ing several representatives of the Opposition, underlies and to a great extent embraces all the were present at the station to bid him farewell others, namely, that an enactment of the nature Mr. O'Conor entered upon his duties at Sofia in proposed would be a serious and unnecessary December, 1886, during the early days of the Re- interference with the freedom of the port. In its last issue Kuhlmo says:—"For those who gency. Throughout that stormy period, and Apart from its excellent and commodious are interested in the export to China it will be during the less eventful, though hardly less ori- harbour, Hongkong when first occupied was interesting to hear that soaps of all kinds belong tical, years which have followed Mr. O'Conor has conspicuous chiefly by the disadvantages under to the articles mostly required in that country, rendered services of the highest value, not only which it laboured as a seat for any extensive \$1,319.62, which is a considerable improvement on to lie to sape, ordinary washing scape, and share to his Government, but to the Bulgarian nation. commerce. Being an island with only a small the accounts last placed before you. driven from Canton or Macas by the imposts comfort. The Chinese know quite well how leading to look after their own interests, and when leaves and restrictions imposed here some merchants would simply retire from the trade and return their place in the interior; others might once more try fortune in the neighbouring points, or they might for a time under their more try fortune in the neighbouring points, or they might for a time under their more would end of the commerce of the principle of the presence of the point of the some time to come the first will be able to does for some time to come the first will be able to does for some time to come the first will be able to does for some time to come the first will be able to does for some time to come the first will be able to does for some time to come the first will be able to does for some time to come the first will be able to does for some time to come the first will be able to does for some time to come the first will be able to does for some time to come the first will be able to does for some time to come. The Chinese opium grower willingly bear their new burdens, if the committed a free port in the ordinary to-look and a first into a will are a producing nothing. His tact, experience, and sund judgment have constant the same time that it damont satisfy the increased the commercial consolidation when sundently the string of kerneaded of the consumers for better quality and the whole all are accounts last placed detects in the same time of all string in the same time to constant the consumers. Mr. Vickham's vapor, is an inland with only a small the commercial test of the same time to cost and five in the control with the consumers of the co all parties as well as by his diplomatic collegues." be constituted a free port in the ordinary to- has been attalactorily maintained.

The Norddenteche Allgemeine Zeitung denies ceptation of the term exemption from Customs the statement of a London morning paper that duties—but that this freedom must also include. Herr von Brandt, the German Minister in Pek- as far as consistent with good order, an entire declares, is the recent report that Herr von with shipping, trade, and trading operations. Brandt had expressed his readiness to go any. To its immunity from Customs dues and the where for this year's audience with the Emperor | comparative absence of vexations regulations while his Diplomatic colleagues demanded that the existence and growth of Hongkong as a they should be received at the Palace only,

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS. SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS."

REDUCTION OF SUEZ CANAL DUE The Sues Canal Company has agreed to reduce its charges half a franc per ton, the new rate to come into force in January next. APPROACHING DISSOLUTION OF PARLIAMENT.

It appears certain that the dissolution Parliament will take place at the end of the present month.

THE DERBY. The following is the result of the running for the Derby :--Sir Hogo La Fleche Thirteen horses ran. The winner started forty to one.

LONDON: 25th May THE IRISH LOCAL GOVERNMENT

FROM SINGAPORE PAPERS.

Self-government Bill has been read a second time; the majority was ninety-two. LONDON 26th May. THE PEARL CASE.

Captain Osborne has resigned his commission in the Army. THE TROUBLES ON THE WEST COAST OF AFRICA.

The Jebus army in the recent fight with the ritish near Lagos numbered seven thousand spirit in Englishmen of the colonies as well as in men; they were armed with Snider rifles, fought

LONDON, 27th May. ACCIDENT TO LORD SALISBURY While proceeding along James Street, Lord Saliebury's horses bolted, overturning and smash. ing the carriage; the Premier, although severely shaken, was able to walk to the Foreign Office.

THE PROPOSED REGISTRATION O IMPORTS AND EXPORTS IN HONGKONG.

The following correspondence relative to th proposed Registration of Imports and Export of this Colony has been forwarded to us by the on the route, which will mainly follow the broad Acting Secretary of the Hongkong Chamber

General Chamber of Commerce, Hongkong, 14th April, 1892. Sir,-In continuation of my letter of 12th in the China Seas than a Colony in the ordinary ultime in reply to your despatch of 11th February having reference to a proposal on the part the honour to acquaint you that the Committee bare with regard to the completion of the concess of the Chamber, in view of the public import ance attaching to this subject, considered it adbe of even fair quality it will be of the greatest general meeting of the Members, which was

held here on the 5th instant. The meeting was a large and representative one, and the discussion which took place showed clearly that, in the opinion of the mercantile community, any measure such as that now pro positively huriful to the trade of the colony. The following resolution was then proposed Amei, and carried unanimously :--

"That this Chamber is of opinion that the proposal to obtain returns of cargo from vessels coming in and going out of this harbour will if adopted, prove detrimental to the interests of this colony, therefore it recommends the Government to abandon the idea of enacting such a measure as law in this colony."

Since the withdrawal of the provious Ordinance The appended items are taken from the Low- in 1887 the feeling against legislation in this direction seems to have strengthened, and the opinion is now even more goneral than it then was. received by the Bank from China. The steamer | that the disadvantages arising from any such The P. and O. steamship Victoria sailed from outweigh the benefits to be derived from com-London on the 29th ult with £35,000 in br plete and accurate statistics of the trade of the

My Committee trust therefore that His Exdue on May 9, is bringing £501,315, including cellency the Governor in further dealing with this question will give a full and impartial consideration to the views expressed by the members of this Chamber. In accordance with your request the sub-en-

plosures which accompanied the letter of 11th February are returned herewith .-- I have the honour to be, sir, your most obedient servant. (Signed) ADAM LIND. Acting Secretary

Honourable G. T. M. O'Brien, C.M.G Colonial Secretary, &c., &c., &c.

Hongkong, Colonial Secretary's Office, Bir.-I am directed by the Governor to

A Commission has recently inquired into the the resolution is based in order that it may be subject in the colony, and the Secretary of State forwarded to the Secretary of State for his consideration, or whether they desire that the newspaper report of the discussion at the meeting may be taken as containing those reasons. If I may venture to offer a suggestion to

Chamber, I think that the former course is the better calculated to secure the object which they have in view. I have the honour to be, sir. our most obedient servant. (Signed) G. T. M. O'BRIEN.

Colonial Secretary. The Becretary, Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce, &c., &c., &c.

General Chamber of Commerce. Hongkong, 31st May, 1892. Sir.—I have the honour to acknowledge th receipt of your letter dated 20th ultimo, having reference to the resolution unanimously passed at the annual general meeting of the members of the Chamber of Commerce, held here on the 8th of April last, deprecating any legislation which would render compulsory the registration of the imports and exports of this Colony. In compliance with the suggestion contained in your letter. I am instructed by my Committee to submit for the consideration of His Excellency the Governor a statement setting

To any one not familiar with the history, prograss, and position of this Colony, it will at first having for its aim nothing beyond the recording of trade statistics, which in some form or other

colony are in a great measure due.

My Committee thinks it would not be out of place in this connection to refer to the report of a Select Committee of the House of Commons appointed in 1847 "to take into consideration the state of our commercial relations with China," Up to 1843 the trade of Hongkong was in a very thriving state, but from that year to 1847 when the above named Parliamentary Report was drawn up, it had dwindled to the point of extinction, owing to excessive and objectionable imposts combined with petty and troublesome

Among many others, the following deductions whra erected during last autumu, and have been lit from a large mass of evidence were arrived at by the Parliamentary Committee as set forth in its report of 12th July, 1847:--

nor does it seem likely, by its position, to become above lamps, over 260 lamps are in course of installation seat of an extended commerce. It has no tion; this number includes the lamps for lighting the clothe, and has no right to expect to draw away completed the established trade of the populous fown and province of Canton, to which it is adjacent. From the only traffic for which it is fitted, that of a depot for the neighbouring coasts, it is in hours a day. Two dynamo machines, with an addifive ports; by treaties, which stipulate distinctly for the observance of this restriction.

"In addition, however, to these natural and necessary disadvantages it appears to bave laboured under others created by a system of great convenience. monopolies and farms and petty regulations. The water tank, referred to in last year's report, bas been in use during the present year, and its use indical to its progress. These spaces to be has fulfilled my expectations in effecting an economy In the House of Commons the Irish Local judicial to its progress. These seem to have in the quantity of cost consumed.—I am, gentleman, arisen partly from an attempt to struggle with your obedient servant, w. H. Wickhak, Managor. and security in the midst of the variationd and piratical population which frequent its waters and intest its coast; and partly from a desire to mise a revenue in the island in some degree adequate to the maintenance of its Civil Govern. ment. To this latter object, however, we think it unwise to sacrifice the real interests of the settlement, which can only prosper under the greatest amount of freedom of intercourse and traffic which is consistent with the engagements of treaties and internal order; nor do we think it right that the burden of maintaining

finence and the protection of the general trade in the China Seas than a Colony in the ordinary sense, should be thrown in any great degree on the merchants or other parsons who may be trolled by such small ganglis. In one aspect resident upon it. which have taken place since 1847 destroy the applicability of such conclusions as those arrived at by the Parliamentary Committee to Hong

my Committee that the relation which this Colony holds to the trade of Chine and to that of other countries remains practically unchange ed. Its local consuming power has of course the disturbances which agitate its molecules grown with its population, but it continues to are measurable by barometric apparatus. High been, a depot for the convenient reception intents and purposes, what it slways has and distribution of cargo coming from and destined for other ports; and according to as on snowy peaks, causing prostrution with the above report. "rather a port for general in. blending at the mose. Great in all ways is fluence and the protection of the general trade Levisthan.

The bulk of the business carried on here in. and selling; it has been created by and is dependent for its existence on the exceptional facilities afforded for the free and unimpeded handling and movement of goods: therefore regulations indicial to the main interests of the Colonya-The proposed measure is of a kind very distasteful not only to the European but also to they have hitherto enjoyed. posed is not only unnecessary but would be superfluous to enlarge on the importance the native traffic, especially that represented desirable that great care should be taken to avoid passing ensorments or establishing rules which would tend to divert it elsewhere. An Ordinance such as that under remark, which of penalties of non-compliance with its provisions, must necessarily be more or less inquisitoria. however carefully it may be worked, and it would

the trade going alsowhere. On these grounds my Committee thinks would be impolitic to run counter to public feel-Neckar has arrived from China with £109,978, enactment as that now contemplated would far log in a question where there is so little to be

almost certainly, lost to the Colony. The possibility has even been suggested that what would at first be simply a means for obtaining statistics might hereafter develop into an establishment for the collection of revenue. Although there is not at present any special inmere suspicion of such a contingency, even although groundless could not but have an adverse influence on the progress and development of the Colony and of its trade and shipping.

These observations apply with special force as regards the Chinese, numbers of whom have been attracted to the colony by the promise and under the belief that their trade would be free from troublesome restrictions, and who can their business to the adjacent Chinese territory or to neighbouring places, if they think that verations legislation is likely to be adopted leave as comparatively unscathed.

Such an Ordinance is further objected to on the ground that it would impose an additional

burden on the revenue. My Committee cannot pretend to form any looking at the nature of the returns indicated in the Report of the home Committee appointed to inquire into the compilation of Import and Export Statistics in the Colonies, dated 23rd June, 1891, it seems very probable that the amount would not fall very far short of that required to carry on a fully conipped Customhouse. In any case, my Committee is un-animously of opinion that an increased expenditure is not instified either by the financial condition of the Colony or the object to be attained. In addition to the charge on the general revenue, account must be taken of the inevitable delays and the increased labour and expense

instances would be very considerable. It has already been pointed out that Hongkong occupies a very different position from that proposed would lead to quite fallacious concluions as to the real trade of the place. In conclusion, and looking at the question from

a general point of view, my Committee considers | ship ploughing its way calmly through the nathat it would be an anwise experiment, merely for statistical purposes, to endanger in any way the prosperity and well-being of the Colony, and this opinion, it believes, is fully forth the principal reasons on which that resolu- shared by the whole of the trading rhythmical and harmonious movement. An population of this port, both European and may organization no less minute, no less olative, as well as by the public generally.-- I have the honour to be, sir, your most obedient servant,

Acting Secretary.

THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC COM-PANY, LIMITED.

The following is the third report of the board of directors to the ordinary yearly meeting of shareholders, to be held at the Company's office, 6, Ice House Lane, at neon, on Saturday, the lith inst :-

Gentlemen,—Your directors now submit a state-ment of accounts for the year ending 80th April, 1892, from which it will be seen that the gross earnings of the Company during that period have been \$38.017.04

Messra, J.J. Keswick and L. Poesnecker have signed their seats on the Hoard. Mosera J. J. But Irving and J. Kramer have been invited to fill the vacancies, and their appointment now requires con

In accordance with the articles of association Mesers C.P. Chater and T. E. Davies now retire ut offer themselves for re-election, being eligible. Mesers. G. Stewart and D. H. Mackintosh have andited the accompanying accounts. These gentlemen now retire, Mr. G. Stewart offers himself for rediction. Mr. Mackintosh is leaving the colony and in

his place Mr. H. Huntor offers himself. H. L. DALBYMPLE, Chairman Hongkong, 30th May, 1892. BNGINDER B BYPORT Hongkong, 20th May, 189

To the directors of the Hongkong Electr. c Company Limited. Gintlemen.-At the commencement of May, 1891 the Company had in operation 61 are lamps, and a contract had been entered into with the Government for the amply of 11 additional lamps. These 11 lamps regularly since November lat, making a total of 75 lamps for street lighting. The supply of incandescent light has been gradually

during the last twelve months, the total "From Hongkong we cannot be said to have number of lamps installed and connected on the 30th derived directly much commercial advantage, April, 1993, being over 60; equivalent in power to considerable population of its own to feed and ball room, Government House, which is now nearly In accordance with demands of consumors, the number of hours during which the incendescent

light is empolled has been moreaged, so that at the present time the engines are running for about 22 a great degree debarred, except in regard to the tional machine in reserve, are available for supplying incandescent lights; one machine is supplying the present number of lamps at about half its full working The quarters for the station staff were deleter

in April, and are now occupied, and prove of he a

SHORT STUDIES ON GREAT SUBJECTS:

III .- LEVIATHAN. We are much too near the heart of the Lovisthan to get a clear conception of his contours. Every now and again we hear of a splash in some remote part of the world which reminds us that which is rather a port for general in that the great being is nearly abiquitous, in the Northern hemisphere at all events, and we wonder how such titanic movements can be conthe grand sire overspreads us like the canopy It may doubtless be urged that the changes of heaven, in another it constitutes the ground on which we tread. We inhale it in every breath and rest on its solid support at every kong as it now is, but after making due allow. step. We may have our doubts about an overance for the altered circumstances, it seems to ruling Providence, but none about the Levin. than, in whom we live and move and have our being. Like the atmosphere its moods vary, and readings seem to lift us off the ground, while low readings leave us giddy and scant of breath,

If we may step down from the high plateau of metaphor and speak of our local Bank in the 25,500, whilst the expense of the thorough sur- of the Government to again bring forward an cludes something different from mere buying plain prose of our daily life it will be quite wonderful enough, on which ever side we look at it. The way it has gathered in all the Eastern business so that only the crumbs fall which will hamper or in any way rander this to the share of its rivals is a fact of which found in considerable quentities. If it proves to visable to bring the question before the annual incre troublesome and tedious are directly pre- every resident in China, whether he admits it or not, is justly proud. We all feel if somehow the magnificent result were the Chinese merchants, who expect to carry on something of our own achievement, a pyramid their business with the same freedom which of our own building. Granden, is, howby the junk trade; but the fact of its be- to reader to the public through its being by the Hon. E. R. Belilios, seconded by Mr. Ho ling so valuable to the Colony makes it specially | he common medium of all exchanges and transfers are such as probably no other bank in the world is able to perform. The London Clearing House is a remarkable example of may involve the right of search and the infliction | economy in finance; and though on a smaller scale the local Bank performs the like economic functions in a still more complete manner in the opinion of my Committee, certainly prove How else could the gigantic enterprises which very harassing and possibly lead to some of the have their base in the colony have been carried on except by the intervention of the local clearing house? There were no untold millions of actual dollars to pass and repass, but gained in comparison with what would be all accounts being centred in the Bank the two sides of its ledger supplied the place of the circulating medium necessary for the most stupendous and the most diversified undertakings. Hence the elasticity of our Eas's n business, the faculty of contraction and expandication that such would be the case, yet the sion which allows our whole scheme of finance to adapt itself, and its different parts, to varying circumstances. A cipher or two more or less in one column and the other of the great book serves to balance us in our most during feats on the financial tight rope. By this self-acting adjustment the colony is able to tide over every orisis and differences of 20 million dollars in the with greater facility than Europeans transfer market value of our stocks, which would ruin irretrievably any other community of like size.

The quality of the collapsible beat-so valuable to explorers in Africa-runs through the organisation of the Bank itself. It is like a ship that can stand up to her canvas equally with a accurate estimate of what this would be, but full load or without ballast. The value of its own stock has varied 10 million dollars in the year, and a further depreciation of equal amount would still not reduce the shares below par. A truly noteworthy elasticity.

All this anyone can see standing entirely ontside, but the Internal machinery by which the innumerable adjustments are effected can only be understood by those who are in the secret and to the manner born. It is not a crush hat with its simple form of compressible machinery; nor a lump of homogeneous inert matter, nor a perwhich would be entailed on every firm and an- forated air ball; but a living organism composed dividual engaged in business, and these in some of an infinity of active organs great and small. Something more than heated air must regulate without jur or friction these extreme and maniof other ports and it is therefore much to be fold variations; whose complexity would appeal feared that any returns compiled in the manner the uninitiated if their imagination was equal to the effort of conceiving it. To the outward eye all is a grand simplicity, like a great troopter. But to produce the result has taxed the

ingenuity of experts to fit the innumerable parts of the internal economy together and ensure borate, in which the parts of the mechanism are living men, is necessary to make a great Bank to successfully navigate the financial ocean The Hon. G. T. M. O'Brien, C.M.G., Colonial subject to sudden and violent changes. But the men who keep the machine going smoothly and silently are apt to be as little known to the genoral public as the man who in the obscurity of the engine room is forgotten by the passengers whose lives nevertheless depend absolutely on his vigilance.

> The exact site of the famous Black Hole of Calcutia, long supposed to be lost, has lately been re-discovered in the course of excavating the foundations of buildings in Old Fort William. The Daily Graphic says :- The story of Mrs. Hargreave's jewels has led many people to believe that pearl necklaces are unlucky. The theory is confirmed by a story that comes, from Rome. The Duchese of San Felice was driving a never wear the necklace any more.

FOOCHOW.

A couple of benevolent persons, as they style themselves, have been going about the different ton districts exhorting the planters to pluck up their ten plants and grow sweet potatoes or any other crops they may choose, as the present low prison and upprofitableness of growing tea is a clear proof that the money got from the hierngyang or foreign devil is bad fengshui and the Several Manchu tea buyers have arrived to

sooner ton growing is put a stop to the better in the their annual purchases for the use of the Imperial household and the officials of Poking. Money is sent down in advance and entrusted to a man whose head quarters are in Sin-Chunc-Kye, A great variety of tens is taken, all of the firest quality of course; and all specially prepared. A tes that corresponds to engineer) has been at work there for the Fouchoug is most largely taken, and amongs other kinds Flowery Pakoe and Green ton. Price being no object, fabalous figures are paid for the oboicest quality, running up, we are informed, as high as Tis, 300 per pical. The orders, which are retailed out in the different districts, are much sought after, as, naturally, ther is a good profit attaching to the business.

H.M.S. Linnet arrived here on the 26th inst and will leave for the North on the 30th insti-We understand that Opium is to be extensavely planted in many suitable places in this province; several retired officials are investing

money in the undertaking. Tea cultivation is reported to be rapidly increasing in Figi. so much so, that as many as 200 acres, which have been plauted some time, are now being picked; the yield is said to be so May for Bangkok, with a letter of introduction good and satisfactory that a further 100 acres

axa to be planted. We hear that a teamun baving obtained the loan of a couple of thousand dollars went up to Gorgon had left Singapore, it was noticed one of the Ten districts with them; taking four. other men in his company That was some twenty days age now, and nothing has since been beard of him. It is feared that, either he has been murdared by the four men he took with bim, or that the whole company has fallen into the hands of highway robburs. While waiting for the mystery to be cleared up, we far the prospect of the advancer ever seeing his dollars again is small

The authorities are adopting stringout measures to stop in lose the use of kerosine oil in the city, spies being set on the watch, night and day, to catch buyers and sellers. Beveral of the unfortunate dealers have already failen into the traps of these runners and are paying dearly for their disobedience. Fear, of fire is the THE CHINESE GOVERNMENT AND ostensible reason for the suppression of the use of this oil; but, it is pretty generally known. that the real reason is, to help the trade in tea and other vegetable oils. - Echo.

CHINKIANG.

H.E. the Vicerov of Nanking arrived at a.m. on the 25th on board the Chinese gunboat Waitah, esported by two smaller ships, and staved at the orts opposite Silver Island till 6 p.m. The flotilla then steamed up river amidst the booming of big gun salutes from the Chinese gnaboat Wasyu-ching in harbour, and the forts, and anchored again on the North shore, near the en rance to the Grand Canal Another start was made at 5 a.m. to-day, and no doubt by this time H.E. is safely a home again and busy concepting his account of the great inspections. The Chinking Paotei conferred with H.E. while at Tungmahtan and it is to be hoped that the Tanyang trouble was duly

In regard to the Tantai's share in this busi ness. I must say that he has not, during his term of office berg, shown any decided pre-foreign ishing his power for evil, or restraining him from feeling, though he is generally amenable to reason in his official intercourse with foreigners : but during the troubles last year he displayed an amount of energy and determination in deal ing with the rowdy elements in and around Chinking, and in taking the steps necessary to prevent disturbance, which has earned him a bad reputation amongst the evilly disposed. This may be partly owing to self-interest, as he is a wealthy man and in the event of the navment of indemnities for possible outrages, his "voluntary" contribution would be a rather heavy one, but to whatever motive ascribed the fact remains that in the opinion of those who know him best, he may be relied on to do his best to prevent trouble. The persons arre ted at Tanyang for posting the pla cards inciting to riot are the master of a beansuka shop, and a soldier balonging to the Tsaifu's command, a kind of military policeman. far from not having been punished, they have both been "invited" to confess, and are to be brought to Chinkiang for further "persuasion." Certainly, one need not be a perchast a predict

more trouble during the ensuing samme and perhaps, the sooner it comes the baster, but the affair at Tanyang appears to be an incipient at-

HANKOW.

During the past few days business generally the West with the wespons of vileness and blashas been dull, except in Keemans; for these a phemy which Chou Hau has used to such purpose. more general demand has risen, and nearly all In the face of the fierce demands from all sides have been taken at about the same rates.

Ningchows .- Late arrivals show no improve | punishment, it was impossible for Peking to resist ment and these kinds have generally been nog- the pressure any longer, and its statesmen have lected. Russian buyers, however, bidding keenly found a good way out of the difficulty by meting for the one or two desirable parcels that have bird out a penalty that sounds very severe on

and can be quoted Tis. 2 to Tis. 3 lower and a is intended to assuage and divert the sager fair business has been doing in common toas at lof the clamorous "Foreign devils." that Chou rates. Towygene and Canfus have been, however. Han really did nothing offensive or wicked somewhat stronger, as arrivals have come in very himself, in fact the Decree asserts that, perslowly. Sungyongs and Cheongsowkyes have somally, he himself is quite innocent of the been held for high prices, but as holders have charge; that his sin is rather of omission than request the Missionary stayed in Shanghai for there had been a consumption of goods produced given way, more business has been doing in these; of commission, and by implication rather Quotations __ a 4/1 & £4 Freight.

Kinkiang pkd. ...16 a 24 Keemuu...........20 a 28 Hohow 12 a 14 71 a Younglowtoong 12 a 18 Cheongsowkye ... 14 a 22 81 a 111 Shantam 8 a . 91 61 a 61 Arrivals stc. to date :-

Arrivals ... 204.819 145.203 198.451 13.222 stories contradiction. This is the entire grava want passports for Honanars kept hanging about, location had accomplished its fell work, took Settlements 137,408 89.370 107.116 4.170 men of the charge against him in the Decree, waiting the Taotai's explanation, and the only ex-£4 per ton; Priam engaged full a £2 10 per ton. - Daily News correspondent.

A question as to the value of a cherry-tree has the Emperor's Decree finds a characteristic just bur decided at Niederlahustein, in Germany, Chinese way out of the difficulty, and Chou i whereon this cherry-tree stands is Han, being secure in his native place, he hat print The owner of the tree put in a under strict surveillance. Considering that the Consulates under his jurisdiction. and as a long and dif. Molesworth-Hepworth. Bir W. claim for £180, which he said was the amount he Decree makes him a hero in the eyes of his matter of fact neveral Norwegian Missionaries, H. Houldsworth, M.P.; having replied, a obtained yearly for the fruit the tree yielded, neighbours and that a plain hint is given to After some spirited contention on both sides, the previncial officials that Chou Han is rather passports, who after a long time of waiting, had I resolution was passed by a majority of eight says the Kolnische Zeitung, the owner somewhat a victim of circumstances and a sacrifice to been positively refused them by their Consultation being for the resolution 164' reluctantly consented to accept £120.

The following carious string of puns is taken genuine Imperial displeasure, the energies and occupy if they got into conflict with the people it was resolved that a poll of the members from a scarce work, published in the reign of oppresive nature of this surveillance may be or officials in the interior. Their position is a should be taken upon the question. James I. A divine, more willing to play with easily estimated! Instead of arresting him and most anomalous and disagreeable, not to say words than to be serious in expounding his text, banishing him to the northern frontier or to dangerous, one. that we must die all; yet, notwithstanding, all mentioned in the Peking Gazette, as the proper houses are turned into als houses; our paradies place for real political disturbers. Chou Han is "an official intimation of the engagement of Mr. Sampson S. Lloyd presided. After hearinto a pair o' dice; matrimony into a matter o' left free to wander amid his native hills and Princes May will be ing an address by Mr. Herbert C. Gibbs. money; and marriage into a merry age. Our ancestral graves in the fastnesses of Hunan, promulgated in a few days." Such an announce. Sir Thos. Sutherland moved and Mr. S. divines have become dry vines; it was not so in where the Imperial will is at the best of times ment cannot fail to cause great pain and annoy. Montagu, M.P., seconded :- "That it is in the the days of Noah—ah no."

BANGKOK.

Everyone will regret to hear that the condi- in composition of more classical distribus on the tion of Col. Boyd, the U. S. Minister Resident ever-welcome subject of the "hoge" and the here, now sojourning at Kon-si-chang, is very " goats," and how the wendering rustic and oritical. It was indeed rumoured on the 22nd admiring gentry of this most traculent province May that he was dead, but we are glad to be able will gather round to hear his fresh composito give a more hopeful report.

Thanks to the energy of the Public Works It is further ordered by the Decree that he is to Department, a new and extremely pleasant be dismissed and deprived of his Tactal's button, drive will shortly be possible for the residents but people who know how often such a punishin Bangkok. A large iron lifting bridge, 28 mont is ordered and not carried out—as in the metres long by nine wide, (specially designed recent one of Liu Ming-chun, late Governor by Mr. Wilkinson) has just been completed at of Formoza-will doubt very much till they the Royal Dock-yard and is intended to replace hear the degradation is actually carried out the frail plank structure at present spanning that it is seriously meant in the present case. Klong Padang (wrongly known as Klong hat Considering that Chou Han has already success Mai) near the destined termions of the Nagara- fully defi de the Viceroy, the Emp ror and the Rajassma Railway. A similar bridge is also being combined efforts of the Foreign Ministers, to made to replace the dilapidated one at the have, him arrested, we doubt very much when Sapatome and of the Hua Lampong and thus ther, even if the Peking Government were vehicular traffic will be much facilitated. hundst in their desire to inflict any real punish-On Wednesday night the 18th May, another ment on Chon Han, they pussess the means death here from cholera took place. The un- of enforcing it without driving the Hananiles fortunate victim was P. W. van Marle, a native into open rebellion. Therefore the value of the

of Holland, who had for some time been employ- Imperial Decree must be very largely discounted, ed in the Custom-house as a tidewaiter. He was and the Foreign Ministers, although they have formerly an assistant on a tobseco-plantation in scored semothing in getting such a Decree is-British North Borneo. He sank rapidly after sund, have not yet succeeded in bringing the the seizure, and died shortly after being taken | chief instigator of the anti-Foreign riots to book. to the Bangrak Hospital. It may be noted that the doctor who had been attending him up to that point declined to communicate my details! of the case to Dr. Hays -a proceeding entirely opposed to all professional stiguette, and certainly anything but humanitarian. It is a somewhat singular coincidence that Mr E. C. van Marle the brother of the depended, narrowly oscaped dying from cholera only a few days ago. On the 23rd May Mr. Louis, of the firm Louis and Becher, mining engineers, Singapore left here for Chantaboon, accompanied semiofficially by Mr. H. W. Smyth, logal adviser to the Royal Mining Denartment, and also by Mr. Geiringer, for the purpose of inspecting a concession granted about two years ago the late Mr. Tan Kim Ching, at Boh Yot. Mr. Truscott, (Mesars. Louis and Becher's past six or eight weeks. There are three other concessions belonging to Mr. Kim Ching's estate in the same locality, extending altogether over a comple of hundred mites, on which work will have to be done during the next six months, or they will lapse, although some £6,000 rent is due on them. A Caloutta syndicate, we understand is financing the prospecting on the option system, which secures to them the right of taking any part of the concession on certain terms. A lamentable fatality occurred on board the steamer. Gorgon on her last trip hither from Singapore. Among the passengers was a Mr L. W. Lamothe, ngod about 21 years, who e parents occupy a leading position in Bremen and whose failing health necessitated his travelling in warmer latitudes. Mr. Lamothe spent that the bath-room door was fastened

some time in Singapore, and left on the 18th to Mesers, Markwald v. Co., whose hospitality he boped to enjoy for some months. About brenkfast-time, some five hours after the an unusually long time, and Captain Jackson had the grating overhead removed. It was king at this season-April then discovered that Mr. Lamathe was lying with his head in the bath, which only contained 10 or 12 inches of water, whilst his body was hanging over the side, his feet touching the flour. Every attempt was at eace made to make him recover consciousness, but in vain, it being evident that life was extinct. The body was buried at

THE DEGRADATION OF CHOU

HAN.

was to make it appear that the punishment fit-

ted the crime in the eyes of the guileless For-

eigner, but it does nothing of the sort, and the

Edict is the amptisat and most wretched sop

thrown unwillingly to Cerberus. As a matter

of fact the Decree leaves our arch enoug exact

where he was, and in fact rather exalts him in

the eves of his faction without in any way dimin-

stirring up the worst passions of the ign-rant-

people amongst whom he moves and who look up

to him as a great leader, a patriot, and a devout

carry his disgrace-which we are pretty safe in

pressure by the Foreign Ministers-actually in

towards this rebellious official of his is seciously

to carry out the instructions for Chen Han's ar-

rest, which were given by the Emperor some

of the pro-Chipese party, who regard the fire-

report upon his deflant and dangerous subordi-

infamous Yeh was a mild type of monster com-

pared to him, because Yeh was more open in his

method of attack and did not hit the men from

that met the Tsung-li Yamen, demanding his

paper, but which means nothing whatever in

than by direct personal offence. However,

it is admitted that the good relations between

China and Foreign nations have been endangered

by the circulation of " wild and lying rumones."

"evil tales," and "absurd stories" about For-

their errand, which we doubt they had ever

any serious intention or desire to accomplish.

kok Times.

side one above the other. sea the same evening, and an inquest will therefore not he held. The cause of death is supposed to have been failure of the heart's action.—Bang-

monly so by other crews.

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men in February and March. We found it fierce

Inde. We waited 36 hours for our turn. During

and another plunge down half aubmerged, which

We had a little scene as we assended. Our

boat rushed up to the foot of the falls furious-

ly with a return current, and ran foul of a rock

and smashed three front planks. In the pro-

this time we saw one boat wrecked in the ascent

was fished out by the "Life Saveri."

late yourself upon a sufe ascent.

and straight across the river. The fall must be poor creatures cross the frontier every year.

five feet at least. Boats unlade and ascend upon They are now seen in almost every town in

agine that the degrated Taolai is his hours of

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gentlemen occupying that position at the Yang- of either speculators or the currency exitess ports look remarkably well. Can it be the gencies of foreign Governments. With the May 13 .- Mr. W. W. Ronch. climate, or good work well done that makes them exception of Bombay, where opinion is much The Mercury writes :- The notorious Chou flourish ? Han has been by Imperial Edict degraded, strinped of his Taotai's button, and dismissed the manned-largely with women. Dr. McCartney tion and disaster which is being wrought by a from Marseilles, May 15 -Mr. Skinner. public service. The Emperor has further or. of the M.E. Mission and Customs physican is state of things which frequently reduced the Por Norddentscher Lloyd Steamship Comdered that the leader of the anti-Foreign faction doing a fine work. He is well known among the conditions of its trade to these of a game of pany's steamer Numberg, from Bremen, April in Hunan is to be banished to his native place people. His hospital and dispensary are carried chance. There is a plausible but very fallacions 27 .- Miss Saunders, Miss Anna Doberck.

ance. At this stage of the proceedings it is at points sixty li from the city. scarcely necessary to recapitulate the causes which | Home parts of the city of Chungking | 1= the whole of its trade; are stimulated by the have led to the visitation of Imperial disfavour seem a little nervous at the presence of a for- fall in exchange. Persons putting forward upon the head of this model Chinese patriot. eigner. The outlook seems bright, and when this specious theory should be resolutely press-At first sight it would seem that the Imperial steamers are permitted to run up from Ichang ed for proofs. I cannot find any. On the Edict inflicted a crushing blow upon the recal there will be a grand commercial revolution in contrary Sir David Barbour, the Finance citrant Chon Han and that his panishment was the Imperial province of Sechuan .- Daily News | Minister for India, one of the highest, if not the a terribly severe one. No doubt the intention correspondent.

MISSIONARIES IN CHINA WITHOU PASSPORTS.

In connection with a notice which has recenty appeared that passports are refused a German missionary, who intended working in the prorince of Honan, says the Mercury, the following story may be of interest :--

In the year 1880 two missionaries, one Swede and the other a British subject, comnenced work in the city of Huai-king in hater of the common enemy—the men from the West with their strange teachings: So far from punishing him, the document purporting to assuming was only issued upon the strongest a measure geeks to excuerate him, and the bond organised, who entered their bouse and forcibly fides of the Viceroy Chang Chih-tung's attitude open to question. Finding that he was unable months ago, or, just as likely being unwilling to incur the stigms of such an act in the eyes eating Taotai as the unbodiment of the old style Missionaries retraced their steps and found year they had exported 526,000,000 yards, against Hollow of Chinese patriotism, the Viceroy smt of around their way back again to the Hsien's Yamen. On 496,000,000 yards in the corresponding quarter Halphong nate to the Emperor, and thereupon he set himthis occasion it was learned that Mr. Kao of 1891. (Applause.) With regard to yarns, for Bolinao self the agreeable task of whitewashing Chou Han was fast asleep and it was out of the question | the five years 1871.5 the average quantity exin the eyes of the Chinese world, while he conthat he could be seen. The Missionneies could ported was 30,000,000lbs, but from 1886 to 1890 dained him in the eyes of the indignant Foreignnot be easily convinced that he could be so fast ers, lay and missionary, who have been so persistasleep that by ordinary |measures he could not |was 53,000,000lbs. He thought they ought to ent in their cry for vengeance upon Chou Han's tempt, wrongly timed and wrongly placed.—Daily devoted head. No Chinaman within our time be awakened, seeing he had but so few minutes look at these figures as a whole, for the Eastern before returned from his journey, so, eliowing has ever incorred the ordium which this Hunan magistrate has drawn upon himself, and even the

until he did awake, they took up their position; determined to see whether they could wait or he could sleep the longer; and at last he made his At once proceeding to examine the passports, he challenged the gangineness of the Swedish one, and the right of its holder to either live of 52,000, 00lbs., and in the later period an or travel in the interior. The Missionary suggested that that being so, the proper course would be to send him prisoner to his Consul, with which the Magistrate agreed, and upon and therefore in the production of yarnwhich he acted. An escort of four man was soon from 287,000 bales of cotton, on the average, Hankow Teas.—Many are decidedly weaker reality. We are told in the document, which ready, and off they started, reporting them from 1876 to 1830 to 1,178,000 bales in selves in the asual way at the different Yamens 1891. He had given them these figures because as they passed. Arriving at the Swedish he wanted to show them the increase in the con-Consulate-General, Shanghai, the Missionary suming power of India and China notwithstandhaid the matter before the Consul-General, Mr. ing the fall in the value of silver, and that in Book, who at once took it up, and at whose addition to this very large export from England a time, pending explanation from the Taotai, in India itself, which did not look as if the counwho had stamped the passport. After the try had been anffering. With regard to the

lapse of one month, and no explanation from effect of the fall in silver upon the export trade, the Taotai forthcoming, the Missionary had in cotton goods generally they exported in 1870 the consent of the Consul-General to leave 3.253,000,000 yards, while in 1890 the quantity Shanghal, on condition that he should not go was 5,124,0 0,000 yards. The preportion of Barometer 1 p.m. ... 1 p.m. (Wet bulb) 82 terised Chinese publications. eigners, and though as we will readily admit, Chou very far away, but be within call should occasion the export trade in cotton goods to India Barometer 4 P.M. (Wet balb) 82 To illustrate the vast scope of the work the caused the ragabonds along the Yangtone to use supposed to be still hanging about "not very far his name in exciting to sedition and crime, and away," ready for a sur mons to the Consulate-"he cannot be exculpated," in his capacity of General at any time. But this is not all. Not took from us in 1870, before this dislocation Oonam Oopack Kinking Hohow Expectant Tantal, because he did not give these only he, but all the Norwegians and Swedes who and therefore be is to be treated as an lessne planation that can be got out of the said Taotains fluctuations in exchange did harass them very 9.052 person and punished accordingly. The Viceroy's the absolute refusal of passports for Honan to much, and the merchant in particular, they did Freight.-Moyune leaves full on 29th inst. a arrest expedition and deputies having returned Norwegian and Swedish subjects. In the Interval defeated from the stronghold of Chou Han and several passports for Houan have been granted really increased it. On the motion of Mr. Wilhis associates in Hunan without accomplishing by Acting Consuls at other ports, and even from liam Fogg, who desired to state the operatives' the Consulate-General, Shanghal, some have view of the matter, the discussion was further been assued which had been stamped by Taotain adjourned for a week. at some of the out-ports, but one of the last of-Soial acts of Mr. Carl Book, before he left for home, was to put a stop to this and forbid the the widening of a railway station at is ordered to be "deported" there and kept granting of passports for Honan through any of Fielden. Mr. Isase Hoyle, M.P., Mr. J. Rawlin. are in the interior at the present time without division was taken, with the result that the Or GERMANY .-Foreign enger rather than the object of General. We wonder what position would they

unable to make itself felt. We can easily im- once to the Royal Family.

A STRANGE SPANISH INDUSTRY.

THE MANUFACTURE OF ORIPPLES. The Paris Gingerbread Fair, as it is called, which is hold every spring in the Funbourg St. Autoine and the Place de la Nation, is notorious which exists us to future ourrency legislation of for the number of ustural and artificial phenomena foreign nations, it is important that the notion tions in a fleid in which he has made his name exhibited there to the public. This year (mys of the Government should be no longer delaythe Standard's correspondent) their number has od."-L. & C. Espress. been greatly increased by the arrival of about twenty culs de jutte, who are wrotchedly ledged in huts on a piece of waste ground in the Cours de Vincennes. These or laples, whose minute shrivelled-up logs are carled up on the boards on which they sit, form a colony, which calls to mind the. Conv des Miraoles of former times. Every morning they all issue forth, propelling them-solves with their hands, to take up their places at the fair, there to await the pence which may he thrown to them by the companionate passers. by. Their aspect is so pitiful that it is said many of them make a real harvest, which, however, of course, gues to the beggar " farmer." It appears that twenty or thirty years ago the cuts de jatte were almost unknown in France and that these deplorable-looking oripples are the product of what may be called an industry. Almost all these numerous deformed little orestures come from Spain, more especially from Tofifeen miles to the south of St. Sebastian. They are the outcome of the abominable practices of NOTES ON THE UPPER YANGTSZE beggar "farmers," who sack their victims among the children of the pensants. When there is a NEAR SU-yoo, 30th April. weakly boy in the family, they porsunds the Ichang is more lively than five years ago. The Eck and Oustoms orniser frown upon disburden to them a less they consent to have him moutled walls. The greatest exhibition, and transformed into a cul-dejatte, and promise to one that apeaks of the right-kind of progress is pay them a trifle a day so long as the cul-de-jatte the immense fleet of native junks lying at is left with them. The operation to which the anchow below the Customs jetty, all flying one unfortunate creature is subjected is as offectual or more House flags. When the flags are all as it is simple. The legs of the child are so tightly of silver at 87.85 to 88.40. un-they are mostly rel-they make a very compressed that the circulation of the blood in appearance. I don't remember being them is stopped. Little by little the legs wither away, and the cul-de-jatte is manufactured. In 1887 M. Waldeck Rousseau, the Minister of the "foreign devil" or such-like mild spithet by any of the crews of these foreign flagged boats between Ichang and Changking, but com-Interior, prohibited the introduction of these The Tain rapid is the terror of native boat- Spanish culs de jatta into France, but it is estimated that recently three or four hundred of the

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only 50 centimes to 1 fr. a day for their hire.

for the beggar farmers who manufacture them

and bring them from Spain, as these traders pay

the parents of the poor cripples a pittance of

cess of repairing, which took half an hour, an An important document has been transmitted empty junk sailed across and attempted to get to the Senate by Mr. Foster, the Secretary of This was a broach of the regulations, so of inquiry adopted by the Senate with regard to started again the next morning, 31st. every "tracker" for and near rushed forward, the silver coinage system. The first question with rocks, poles, and anything at hand, and lit- answered shows that the Treasury notes issued erally loaded the boat with stone ballast. I lin payment of silver bullion under the Act up noticed the cook of one boat throwing boiling to April 27 this year; aggregated \$92,852,000. Maywater upon the offenders. Get over the Tsin of which 311,54,291 are represented by cash in rapid as soon as possible, and you may congratu- the Treasury. The aliver notes issued in 1890 have been received by the Tronsury in exchange Nothing else bad between there and Chung- for gold coin, and have also been redeemed in There is a manifest increase in the area of \$24,754,095 in silver coin for the redemption of

land used for the poppy, 'It begins really at silver notes. Waubien and continues without interruption to The discussion on the question of bimetallism Chungking. It was in full bloom, and a pret- begun at the Manchesfer Chamber of Comtier sight could not be found in any country. merce o fortnight ago was resumed on the Maycounted twenty terraces upon one mountain 27th inst. As on the previous occasion, there was a very large attendance of the members. Found the Changking community flourishing. A letter was read from Mr. J. A. Brith, who Customs quarters-high and airy and the grutle- wrote: -" The loss of the par of exchange men all in love with the summer climate of the with silver-using countries has revolutionized place, but not a word to say in favour of the our i astern trade and made it feverish and winter. The gentlemen look well, and the unit althy beyond expression. It is now no veteran Harbour Master surely has not lost in longer based exclusively upon the law of supply avoirdupois. In fact I have noticed that all the and demand, but chiefly upon the manipulation There are four Missions here, and fairly well manimous in its testimony as to the paralysaand kept there in seclasion under strict surveill. on with vigour, and he also dispenses medicines attempt being put forward by the other side to show that the experts of Indix and consequentvery highest, authority on the subject, has distinotly demonstrated that there has been no such stimulus due to exchange. That, on the contrary, the enormous increase in our Indian trade during the last twenty years is due beyond any question to the extraordinary reduction that has been brought about in the cost of ocean and land carriage by the development of steam navigation to the East, via the Snez Canal, and the spread of railways in India. These two faces have been absolutely revolutionary factore in the trade of India, and the stimulus thus afforded is almost incredible." The resolution in favour of immediate steps being taken Honan, and for about nine menths lived there to promote an agreement on a broad internaon the most friendly terms with the people, tional basis in order to secure a stable par of during which time they rented and occupied a ex hange between gold and silver moneys" house. Through the unceasing efforts of the found supporters in Mr. Robert Barolay and literati, however, and with the apparent sympe- Mr. J. R. Hepburn. It was opposed by Mr. thy of the officials; a small party of rictors was George Lord and Mr. J. K. Bythell. Mr. Lord, in the course of his remarks, said that during expelled the Missionaries, who were forced to the five years 1871-5 England experted to all seek refuge in the Heien Magistrate's Yamen. India an average per annum of 1,124,000,000 This gentleman, named Kao, they were informed. yards of plain goods. In the five years ending was away on a journey, and there being no res- 1890 she exported an average of 2.147,000,000 ponsible person in charge, they betook them- vards, or practically double. (Applanse:) It selves to the Fu's Yamen but were here as- was quite true that in 1891 the quantity fell sured that the said Mr. Kao was not sway to 1.965,000,0 0 yards, but he had given them the on any journey, and that they could find him reasons for that, and already they saw signs of in his Yamen. On hearing this the two recovery, for in the first quarter of the present

the average was 52,000,006; ba., and in 1891 it markets-India and China-were always spoken no other intention than to occupy the guest-room of as one market, and were really our market. Putting, then, the figures together, he found that they had in the five years from 1871 to 1875 an average of plain goods of 1,556,000,000 yards, while for the five years ending in 1890 the average was 2,737.900,000 vards; and of varns they had in the earlier period an average average of 33,000,000lbs. That large increase in the expert of goods to the Eastern markets was in the consumption of cotton in India,

commenced, 43 per cent, now that the disnot eventually reduce the consumption, but On the 4th inst. the debate was secondingly remned by Mr. Forg. who was followed by number of other speakers, including Mr. J. C.

against 158. On the proposition of Mr. G. Lord. A public meeting was held on the 5th inst. in

the Manaion House, London, for the purinterest of the City of London, and of the Sovennions, Rank's Buying Rate 6.82

British Empire, that the Government should take steps to promote an international Conferonce with a view to re-establish a staple par of exchange between gold and silver ming, nonntries; and, having regard to the danger and inconvenience canned by the great uncertainty

THE ENGLISH MAIL.

The P. & O. steamer Cathan, with the Euglish mail of the 5th May, arrived here yesterday afternoon. The subjoined telegrams are taken from Ceylon and Indian papers :-FORTHCOMING RETIERNEST OF MR.

CONTRCARE LONDON, 20th May. Mr. Conybeare, member for Camborne, an-

nonness that he will retire at the next election. THE ARMY MEDICAL STAFF. Mr. Curson, replying to Mr. Hunter in the House of Commons, said that the Government H. Steam Laundry ... were unwilling to depart from the decision come to, when the grade of Brigade-Surgeon was inless or the heighbourhood, situated at about troduced, of declining to increase the pay above subiltarna rates

PUBLICANS AND SOLDIERS IN UNIFORM. LONDON, 19th May. A circular has been issued by the Dake of Cambridge to district commanders, calling on parents that he can never be anything but a them to report cases where publicans have refused to serve soldiers in uniform, with the view of refusing to renew their licences. AMERICAN PURCHASE OF SHARE.

WASHINGTON, 18th May. The Treasury to-day purchased 291,000 onnoce

REPORTS. The German steamer Taicheong, from Saiger 30th May, had light winds from S.E. and S.W. and fine weather the whole passage.

The British steamer Charters Tower, from Kuchinotan 29th May, had mederate to fresh the north bank. The majority of boats however France, and have got as far north as Belgium. S.W. winds and fine weather, strong northerly Miningascend upon the southern bank, and do not un. To be a cul-de-jette must be a profitable trade. current.

> The British steamer Haiphong, from Moji 23th May, had light westerly and S.W. winds to Turnsbout; thence light S.W. wind, and fine weather to port. June 2nd passed Hailoung, off

The German steamer Lycemoon, from Shanghai 30th May, had very hary weather and fresh S.W. breeze to Swatow: thence to port smooth sea and fine weather. Near Tungsha in deuse ahead of us and other junks lying below the Treasury. It is the reply to the resolution for, in company with the C. M. S. S. Moyune

SHANGHAI SHIPPING.

FARRIVALS. 28. Lysemoon, German str., from Hongkong. 28, Chungking. British str., from Tientoin. 28. Hae-an, Chinese str., from Tientsip. 28, Amoy, German str., from Kobe. 28, Ping Ching, Chinese cr., from a cruise. 29, Chingping, Chinese str., from Tientein. 28 Taiyuan, British str., from Hongkong. 28. Canton, British str., from London. 28. Energia. British str., from Liverpool.

28. Alucrity, British des. ven., for Hankow. 28. Yangtee, French str., for Merseilles. 28. Lieushing, British str., for Tientsin. 28. Feilung, British str., for Novohwang. 28. Hsinsheng. Chinese str., for Chefco. 28. Heinfung, Chinese str., for Tientain.

PASSENGERS BOOKED FOR HONGKONG.

Per P. & O. steamer Oceana, from London Per P. & O. steamer Valetta, from London divided, the whole of the East is practically un- May 27 .- Mr. W. Sparrow. Lieut. W. A. Payne. Per Messageries Maritimes steamer Ozice.

THE WEATHER.

METROROLOGICAL BEGISTER

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Previous | On date | On date day 1 p.m. at 10 n.m. at 4 p.m. Vosther -Banougruz reduced to 32 degrees Fahr, at sea level.

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3—Homistry in percentage of enteration, the homidity of air enterated with moduluse being 100.

4—Diesprime of the Wind to two points.

5—Porce of the Wind according to Banefort Scale.

6—State of the Wraters: h. blue sky of detached clouds; d. driving rain; f. fog; g. gloomy; h. hall; l., lightning; o. overcast; p. passing theores; q. squally; r., rain; s. snow; t. thunder; r. visibility w. daw (wet). W. DOBERCK. Hongkong Observatory, June 8rd, 1892.

MESSES. PALCONER & Co.'s REGISTER, JUNE 320. Barometer'S A.M. ... 29.94 Therm. 9 A.M. (Wet builb) 80 and vecant spaces which have heretofore charac-

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. FRIDAY, 3RD JUNE. CLOBING QUOTATIONS. EXCHANGE.

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TRE CANADIAN MAIL. The C. P. R. Co.'s steamer Empress of China left Shanghal at 5 p m, on the 2nd, and may be expected here about 9 a.m. on the 5th instant. THE INDIAN MAIL The Indo-China steamer Chelydra, with the next Indian mail, left Singapore at & p.m. on

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on the 23th May, and may be expected here onor about the 4th Jane. The O. S. S Co.'s steamer Diomed left Singapore on the 2nd and may be expected here on the 8th inst. The P. & O. steamer Formesa left Bombay on the 26th May for this port. The P. & O. steamer Nizam left Bombay on the 26th May for this port,

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PEAR DELIVERY closes at Post Office a 11.30 a.m. and 3 p.m. or in Letter Boxes in the Cars by 12 and 3.30 o'clock Trams. Letter Boxes at Peak will be claured at 12.30 and 4 p.m. The Postal Guide for 1892, revised to date

will be found in the Chronicle and Directory XXII. This is the only authorised complete Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong. The authorised List of Mails issued in

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The Mail for the North will close as follows:-For SHANGHAL - Per S.S. Cathau. on SATURDAY, the 4th instant. For Shanghai,-Rugistry beases at 845 A.M. Mail closes at 9 A.M. Late Letters received from 9.10 to 9.30 A.M. with 10 cents Late Fee Paid Correspondence may then be posted in the moveable box on board the Packet

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